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1. ENGLISH ESSAY AND PRECIS' WRITING

[Total Marks = 100 Time-3(three) hours]

i. Essay	800 words	30 marks.
ii. Report writing on certain incident	300 words	25 marks
iii. Letter writing (official)	---	20 marks
iv. Preci's writing	---	25 marks (20+5)

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2. ENGLISH COMPOSITION

[Total Marks = 100 Time- 3(three) hours]

i. Comprehension of any given passage	---	30 marks
ii. Amplification	200 words	15 marks
iii. Transformation of Sentences	---	10 marks
iv. Synonyms	---	10 marks
v. Antonyms	---	10 marks
vi. Correction	---	10 marks
vii. Paragraph	---	15 marks

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3. BENGALI COMPOSITION & TRANSLATION

[Total Marks = 100 Time- 3(three) hours]

3. বাংলা নির্মিতি ও অনুবাদ (Bengali Composition & Translation)

প্রশ্নপত্রে নিম্নলিখিত বিষয়গুলি থাকবে :

- ১) প্রবন্ধ রচনা (৪টির মধ্যে ১ টির উত্তর ৮০০ শব্দে দিতে হবে)
- ২) ভাব সম্প্রসারণ (২টির মধ্যে ১টির উত্তর ১৫০ শব্দে দিতে হবে)
- ৩) দপ্তর বিষয়ক (অফিসিয়াল) পত্ররচনা (২ টির মধ্যে ১টির উত্তর ২০০ শব্দে দিতে হবে)
- ৪) প্রতিবেদন রচনা (২টির মধ্যে ১টির উত্তর ১৫০ শব্দে দিতে হবে)
- ৫) শিরোনামসহ সারসংক্ষেপ (২টির মধ্যে ১টি)
- ৬) বাংলা অনুবাদ (দশটি বাক্যের ২টি অনুচ্ছেদের মধ্যে ১টির উত্তর দিতে হবে)

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4. ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH

[Total Marks = 100 Time- 3(three) hours]

There will be ten objective type questions from group A and Group B each, carrying one mark each and four broad type questions from each group carrying five marks each.

Unit 1

Group (a) : Poetry

30
(10x 1) + (5 x 4)

1. Ode to the West Wind: Shelley
2. Futility: W. Owen
3. The Lady of Shalott: A. L. Tennyson
4. In the Bazaars of Hyderabad: Sarojini Naidu
5. Heaven of Freedom: R. Tagore
6. Stopping by Wood: R. Frost

Group (b) : Prose

30
(10 x 1) + (5 x 4)

1. After Twenty Years: O'Henry
2. The Shot: Pushkin
3. Toba Tek Singh: Sadaat Hussain Munto
4. The Happy Prince: Oscar Wild
5. The Rocking Horse Winner: D. H. Lawrence
6. Shooting an elephant: G. Orwell

Unit -2 : Common phrases in English (Structure & application) 10(2 x 5)

Unit- 3 : Summary 15

Unit- 4 : Comprehension (unseen) 15(5 x 3)

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5. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE & CURRENT AFFAIRS

[Total Marks = 100 Time- 2(two) hours]

(Objective and MCQ pattern)

A. General Knowledge 45 Marks

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| 1. Tripura | 05 |
| 2. India | 10 |
| 3. World | 07 |
| 4. Popular Science | 08 |
| 5. Environmental Studies | 05 |
| 6. Simple Arithmetic | 05 |
| 7. Books & Authors | 03 |
| 8. Games & Sports | 02 |

B. Current Affairs 40 Marks

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| 1. Tripura | 05 |
| 2. North –East | 05 |
| 3. India | 20 |
| 4. World | 10 |

C. Aptitude Test 15 Marks

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6. THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA & PLANNING IN INDIA

[Total Marks = 100 Time- 3(three) hours]

(i) The Constitution of

(50 Marks)

The preamble, Salient features of the Constitution, Citizenship, Fundamental Rights and Duties, Directive Principles of State policy.

Constituent elements of the union Government: President, Prime Minister and the Council of Ministers, Powers and functions of the Parliament, Union Judiciary.

The State Government: State Legislature, Council of Ministers- its powers and functions. Relations between the Union and the States (Legislative, Administrative and Financial).

Emergency Provisions, Local Self Government, Politics of defection, Election.

(ii) PLANNING IN INDIA

(50 Marks)

1. Definitions of Planning. The Need for Planning. The Genesis of development planning in India.
2. An Overview of the Plan Period- First Plan to Sixth Plan-the Nehru Mahalanobis Strategy – Agriculture versus Industry – Role of Foreign Capital – Poverty – Unemployment.
3. An evaluation of the Plan Period- Seventh Plan to Eleventh Plan- Agriculture versus Industry – Role of Foreign Capital- Poverty – Unemployment- Trend and Pattern of Expenditure in the Social Sector during Seventh Plan to Eleventh Plan.
4. Decentralized Planning in India
5. World Bank, International Monetary Fund (IMF) and World Trade Organization (WTO): Role of International Institutions in the Development Planning of India.

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